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Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Monday, 21 April 2008, at 3 p.m.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"At its 5871st meeting, held in private on 21 April 2008, the Security Council considered the item entitled 'Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)'.

"The President, with the consent of the Council, invited His Excellency Mr. Boris Tadić, President of the Republic of Serbia and the representatives of Albania, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Singapore, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine and Uzbekistan to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Joachim Rücker, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo.

"In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, also extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Hashim Thaci.

"Members of the Council, Mr. Joachim Rücker, His Excellency Mr. Boris Tadić, President of the Republic of Serbia, and Mr. Hashim Thaci had an exchange of views."

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